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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of )  
Chu, Sung G. )  
Chen, Fu )  
Kolson, Natalie A. ) Group Art Unit: 1714  
Serial No. 09/976,658 )  
Filed: October 9, 2001 ) Examiner: Tae H. Yoon  
For: Superplasticizer for Concrete and )  
Self-Leveling Compounds )

Hon. Assistant Commissioner For Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231-0001

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Official Action dated April 30, 2004, please amend the above-entitled application as follows: